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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Issuer



Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For 19 February, 2002

GlaxoSmithKline plc (Name of registrant)

GLAXO WELLCOME HOUSE, BERKELEY AVENUE, GREENFORD, MIDDLESEX UB6 0NN (Address of principal executive offices) PROCESSED

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Indicated by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_

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## GlaxoSmithKline PLC

GlaxoSmithKline PLC announces that, in accordance with the authority granted by shareholders at the Annual General meeting on May 2001, it purchased for cancellation 600,000 of its Ordinary 25 pence shares on Tuesday 19 February 2002 at a price of 1743.7136 pence per share.

Registered in England & Wales No. 3888792

**Registered office** 980 Great West Road Brentford, Middlesex, TW8 9GS

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

GlaxoSmithKline plc (Registrant)

Date:

19 February, 2002

By:

Authorised Signatory for and on behalf of GlaxoSmithKline plc